WHEREAS, the aforesaid election was duly held and conducted in accordance with the requirements of law and the officers elected were duly sworn in; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the validity of holding the regular municipal election on March 1st, instead of the last Monday in March as provided by law, now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the election of officers held March 1st, 1920, and 2 all acts and proceedings of said officers elected and sworn in, while
- 3 in office, be and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid,
- 4 the same as though the law had been fully complied with, provided
- 5 however, that nothing herein shall be held to affect pending litigation.
- 1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take 2 effect from the date of its publication in The Des Moines Register, a
- 3 newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Muscatine Journal,
- 4 a newspaper published in Muscatine, Iowa, without expense to the 5 state.

Approved March 22, A. D. 1921.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register March 23, 1921, and in the Muscatine Journal March 24, 1921.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 364

TOWN OF CONESVILLE

S. F. 566.

AN ACT to legalize the issuance of \$10,000 electric lighting bonds of the incorporated town of Conesville, in Muscatine county, Iowa, authorized at a special election held by the voters of said town on January 3d, 1921.

Whereas, pursuant to a petition filed, and notice duly published, as required by law, a special election of the incorporated town of Conesville, Muscatine county, Iowa, was held on January 3d, 1921, whereat the proposition of establishing and erecting a municipal electric lighting system within said town, and the proposition of issuing bonds in the sum of not to exceed \$10,000 to provide the funds to pay the cost of said municipal electric lighting system, were duly submitted to the voters of said town; and

WHEREAS, a substantial majority of the qualified electors of said town, voting at said election, voted in favor of the proposition to establish and erect a municipal electric lighting system and the proposition of authorizing the issuance of \$10,000 electric lighting bonds of said town to pay the cost thereof, and

WHEREAS, based upon the outcome of said election, the electric lighting system has been completely installed and the contractors installing same are awaiting payment for their work, and WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the sufficiency of the votes cast in favor of issuing said bonds in view of the provision of the code of Iowa to the effect that the majority of votes cast for the issuance of such bonds should be equal to a majority of the votes cast at the last preceding municipal election of officers, now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the issuance of \$10,000 negotiable electric lighting bonds by the town of Conesville, in Muscatine county, Iowa, as authorized by a majority of the qualified electors of said town, be and the same is hereby declared to be legal and valid, the same as though the provisions of law had been fully complied with, the proceeds of such bonds to be used for the purpose of establishing and erecting a municipal electric lighting system within said town, provided however, that nothing herein shall be held to affect pending litigation.
- SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from the date of its publication in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Muscatine Journal, a newspaper published in Muscatine, Iowa, without expense to the state.

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W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 365

TOWN OF ELKADER

H. F. 558.

AN ACT to legalize the transfer of funds by the town council of the town of Elkader.

WHEREAS, the town of Elkader, in the county of Clayton and state of Iowa, did some years ago purchase the waterworks and issued therefor bonds to pay for the same and the interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, taxes have been levied to take up and pay the bonds thus issued by the town of Elkader; and

WHEREAS, after having paid such bonds and interest upon the same there still remained in the fund thus created the sum of thirteen hundred fifty-seven dollars and ninety-one cents (\$1357.91), over and above the amount required to pay the bonds and interest, which sum had accumulated from the tax levy above stated; and

WHEREAS, the purposes for which the bonds and tax levy had been made have been fully fulfilled and discharged, and the amount of money remaining over and above the sum necessary to take up the bonds, namely: Thirteen hundred fifty-seven dollars and ninety-one cents (\$1357.91) remained in the waterworks bond fund and wholly inactive; and